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SUBJECT: CIVAIR - REPORTED U.S. COURT ACTION AGAINST PHILIPPINE
AIRLINES

1. SEPT. 5 EA PRESS SUMMARY CITES WALL STREET JOURNAL
REPORT THAT PAL BEING SUED BY USG IN SAN FRANCISCO FEDERAL
COURT FOR \$267,000, PRESUMABLY PENALTIES FOR UNAUTHORIZED
JULY FLIGHT.

2. WE WOULD FIND SUCH A DEVELOPMENT, IF REPORT TRUE, TO
BE INCREDIBLE, AS WE ARE SURE WOULD PRESIDENT MARCOS,
PARTICULARLY IN VIEW OF HIS LAST MINUTE INTERVENTION TO
RETRIEVE AIR TALKS.

3. WE ARE ESPECIALLY DISTURBED BY HAVING TO LEARN OF THIS
DEVELOPMENT VIA THE WALL STREET JOURNAL, PARTICULARLY IN
VIEW OF WELL-KNOWN SENSITIVITY GOP RE PAL DC-10 SEIZURE.

4. ACTION REQUESTED: APPRECIATE SOONEST DEPARTMENT REPORT
ON FACTS THIS SITUATION. TRUST IN LIGHT ALL CIRCUMSTANCES
THIS ISSUE DEPARTMENT WILL CONTINUE MAKE STRONG EFFORT AVOID
SEVERE PENALTIES THIS CASE.

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